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SUBJECT: ECE REGIONAL PAPER FOR UNCSTD

REF: STATE 162352

1. VIRTUALLY UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT AMONG REPS HERE THAT PARIV OF ECE REGIONAL PAPER IS INADEQUATE. DURING OPENING SESSION ON JUNE 26, THIS VIEW WAS ACCEPTED BY THE CONFERENCE, AND IT WAS AGREED THAT MEMBERS WOULD PROVIDE THE SECRETARIAT WITH ADDITIONAL MATERIALS FOR INCLUSION IN REDRAFTING THE REPORT. THE RE-DRAFTED REPORT WOULD BE SUBMITTED TO THE THIRD PREPCOM ON THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SECRETARIAT, WITH THE NOTATION THAT THE REPORT WAS SUBJECT TO THE FINAL APPROVAL OF THE ECE SENIOR ADVISERS AT ITS NEXT MEETING IN OCTOBER.

2. IN LINE WITH REFTEL, USDEL WILL ADVANCE PROPOSAL FOR CONVENING EXPERTS MEETING IN LATE AUGUST. WILL ADVISE ON RECEPTIVITY OF PROPOSAL.

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3. EAST EUROPEAN DELEGATIONS (EXCLUDING ROMANIAN) HAVE EMPHASIZED IN STATEMENTS AND AN EIGHT-COUNTRY SUBMISSION ON ITEM 5 (RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ACTION) GENERAL THESIS THAT "REDUCTION IN ARMAMENT COSTS, DISARMAMENT, AND STRENGTHENING OF INTER-NATIONAL DETENTE WILL CONTRIBUTE TO A MORE RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND TO THE

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UTILIZATION OF THEIR RESULTS FOR DEVELOPMENT, ALSO ENABLING THE DEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO ASSIGN ADDITIONAL MEANS TO THE TECHNICO-SCIENTIFIC AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE FOR THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES." IN ADDITION TO THEMES OF DETENTE AND DISARMAMENT, EASTERN STATEMENTS HAVE INCLUDED FREQUENT REFERENCES TO HELSINKI FINAL ACT (CSCE PROVISIONS SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT AND APPLIED TO THE WORLD) AND LESS FREQUENTLY TO NEO-COLONIALISM (BY WHICH LDCS ARE VICTIMIZED, FOR WHICH REASON THEY LACK/NEED SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY).

4. USDEL HAS RESPONDED IN CORRIDOR DISCUSSION THAT DETENTE AND DISARMAMENT ARE IMPORTANT ISSUES, BUT THAT ACTION ON THEM SHOULD NOT BE A PRESUPPOSITION OF S&T COOPERATION WITH DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, NOR SHOULD ACTION NORTH/SOUTH ISSUES BE LINKED TO PROBLEMS WE FACE IN OUR OWN(ECE) REGION. USDEL WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW THIS GENERAL LINE UNLESS DEPARTMENT HAS OTHER VIEWS ON THE SUBJECT.
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